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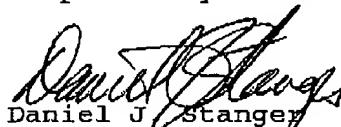
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Sir:

The Applicants submit herewith 4 sheets of corrected formal drawings (Figs. 1-4) labeled as "Prior Art" in accordance with the Examiner's objection on Page 2 of the Office Action mailed October 3, 2005.

The Examiner's acceptance of the corrected formal drawings is respectfully requested.

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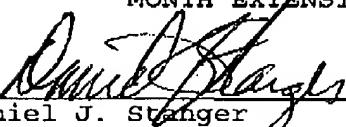
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